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- 1. POST RECOMMENDS DOCTOR MANUEL GILL MORLIS, DIRECTOR OF MENTAL HEALTH, MINISTRY OF HEALTH, ALSO MEMBER OF PARAGUAY'S COMMISSION ON NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS AND PHYSICIAN AT THE ASUNCION INSANE ASYLUM. HE IS ABOUT FORTY YEARS OLD; SPEAKS SOME ENGLISH.
- 2. GILL MORLIS HAS VISITED THE UNITED STATES PREVIOUSLY, IN 1971 TOURED DRUG REHABILITATION CENTERS. HE HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ESTABLISHING A DRUG REHABILITATION CENTER FOR PARAGUAY, AND IS ALSO IN THE PROCESS OF ORGANIZING AN ALCOHOLIC TREATMENT CENTER.
- 3. GILL MORLIS HAS ATTENDED A NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS OF PSYCHIATRISTS IN EUROPE (HE WAS TRAINED IN SPAIN) AND IN MEXICO. HE IS PERSONALLY WELL ACQUAINTED WITH DOCTORS GUIDO BELASASSO OF MEXICO, NILS NOYA OF BOLIVIA, AND UNCLASSIFIED

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OTHERS MENTIONED IN REFTEL. DR. GILL MORLIS HAS ALREADY RECEIVED EXTENSIVE DOCUMENTATION ON THE HONOLULU CONFERENCE, BUT SCARCITY OF FUNDS WOULD PREVENT HIS ATTENDING. HE HAS TOLD EMBASSY THAT WERE HE ABLE TO ATTEND ONE OF THE SUBJECTS HE WOULD BE MOST INTERESTED IN DISCUSSING (HE IS PREPARED TO PRESENT A PAPER) WOULD BE ON THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CRIMINOLOGY AND DRUG ADDICTION.

4. EMBASSY STRONGLY RECOMMENDS S/NM FUNDING FOR DR. GILL
MORLIS TO ATTEND THE HONOLULU CONFERENCE. PLEASE ADVISE
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